

assist us much in recording
activities of species - We take an
interest but will find the maps
very helpful - as well as almost
essential for careful & intelligent
exploration of the country - We will
spend the whole summer - July 16
Sept. 1 + in the mountains -
If you could secure such maps for
us we will be very grateful - and
will see that they are carefully kept &
returned. We would also be pleased
to annotate a Sattler & Curtis for
the Herbarium if they can be supplied
to us.

Very Truly Yrs.

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Prof. Geo. S. Wilson,

Cambridge, Mass.

Dear Sir:-

If the
proper arrangements can be made
to aid you will probably be a student
in the graduate department of the
University next year - and as the
prospective work of the summer may
be of interest to you & on your in-
terest to it. H.C. Beardslee (son of
Dr. H.C. Beardslee - Pamlico Co.) and myself
are planning a botanical trip to the
Great Smoky Mts of N.C. We wish
to strike new territory - new as
possible in that region - botanically.
At present we are thinking of the
east side of the range in Graham
& Swain Cos. N.C. Do you know of

a better locality for the work?
We have a good outfit - the recent
expenses - 12 x 2 tent - Camp stove etc -
1200 miles etc and expect to collect quite
extensively. In systematic Botany we both
have done some work - Our herb numbers
contain about 8000-10000 specimens each -
no. of species increasing slowly - Last
summer was spent in Chelcygan Co
Mich - resulting in 15 additions to Wherry
& Smith's printed list of the Flora of Mich.
Prof. Wulfer spent several days in our
camp - and came back for our work -
We have done some collecting in the
Mosses, Algae, & Fungi - but no
identification to speak of -
As to Mr. B. & myself may be in H. U.
next year we would be glad to place
ourselves under your direction - and
be very happy to do any special collecting
for the University & the own Herbarium which
you could suggest to us -
Prof. Britton will probably "encourage our

collecting by taking a set of our plants"
and we would venture to ask you
as to the possibility of our applying
one of our sets - and perhaps also dupli-
cates from our present collections at Harvard
toward our expenses there.

My application for a fellowship is a file
and then ~~case~~ ^{case} has been learned of acts as
to my financial status - suffice
to say that any help along this line
will be quite an encouragement toward
our trip

Any suggestions as to locality or methods
of work - special collections - botanical
photographs etc will be very welcome.
We take a good camera with us.

There are several things which we
desire very much - and as yet have
not succeeded in obtaining - one is
"Curtis' list of the Plants of N. C." We
have Sargent's Fern. Flora - and
topographical maps of the U. S. Geol.
Survey of this region - These would